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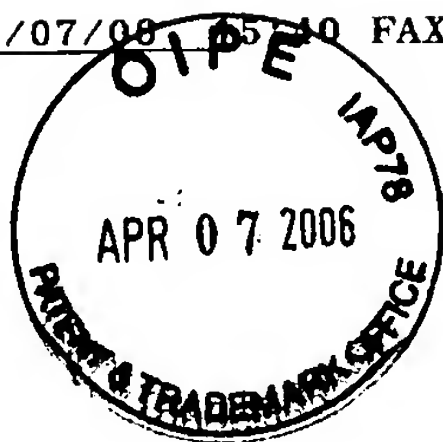
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Honorable Sir:

Applicant believes that the claims are allowable. However, Applicant does not necessarily acquiesce with the rationale set forth by the Examiner that patentability resides in the features listed by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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